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06                   UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
07                   WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
08                   AT SEATTLE

09         UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,                   )  
10   )      CASE NO. MJ 13-047  
11         Plaintiff,                                    )  
12         v.    )  
13         LATASHA NICOLE CHAMBERS,                  )  
14   )  
15         Defendant.                                    )  
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17         Offense charged:    Bank Fraud, Access Device Fraud, Aggravated Identity Theft

18         Date of Detention Hearing:   February 1, 2013.

19         The Court, having conducted a detention hearing pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3142(f), and  
20         based upon the factual findings and statement of reasons for detention hereafter set forth, finds  
21         that no condition or combination of conditions which defendant can meet will reasonably  
22         assure the appearance of defendant as required and the safety of other persons and the  
community.

23                   **FINDINGS OF FACT AND STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR DETENTION**

24         1.         Defendant has a lengthy criminal record with numerous controlled substances

01 violations and forgery, theft and identity theft charges. Her record includes multiple failures to  
02 appear for hearing with resultant bench warrant activity. The AUSA alleges the instant  
03 offense follows months or years of identity theft activity.

04 2. Defendant has an unstable residential and employment history. She has a  
05 history of substance abuse including recent methamphetamine use, despite completion of a  
06 year-long inpatient drug treatment program.

07 3. Due to the nature and circumstances of the instant offense, defendant allegedly  
08 has access to numerous personal identifiers and fraudulent identity documents, increasing the  
09 risk of flight.

10 4. There does not appear to be any condition or combination of conditions that will  
11 reasonably assure the defendant's appearance at future Court hearings while addressing the  
12 danger to other persons or the community.

13 It is therefore ORDERED:

- 14 1. Defendant shall be detained pending trial and committed to the custody of the Attorney  
15 General for confinement in a correction facility separate, to the extent practicable, from  
16 persons awaiting or serving sentences or being held in custody pending appeal;
- 17 2. Defendant shall be afforded reasonable opportunity for private consultation with  
18 counsel;
- 19 3. On order of the United States or on request of an attorney for the Government, the  
20 person in charge of the corrections facility in which defendant is confined shall deliver  
21 the defendant to a United States Marshal for the purpose of an appearance in connection  
22 with a court proceeding; and

4. The Clerk shall direct copies of this Order to counsel for the United States, to counsel for the defendant, to the United States Marshal, and to the United State Pretrial Services Officer.

DATED this 1st day of February, 2013.



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Mary Alice Theiler  
United States Magistrate Judge